Grade 5 US History CURRICULUM

UNIT II

DAYS TO TEACH
~ 6 weeks

Life in the Colonies

Textbooks (vary)
Scott: 5, 6, 7
History Alive: 7,8, 9

ESSENTIAL CONTENT AND SUBTOPICS

I. European Colonization
- A. Causes and Effects
- B. Patterns of Settlements
- C. How geographic factors influence settlement

II. Economic Factors
- A. Free Enterprise System
- B. Concept of Supply and Demand
- C. Work Patterns and Activity

III. Government
- A. Organizing governments in Colonial America
- B. Concept of Representation

Trouble over Taxes
- C. Taxation without Representation
- D. Sons of Liberty
- E. Colonists' Protests

Colonists' Rebellions
- F. The Boston Massacre
- G. The Boston Tea Party
- H. Continental Congress/Declaration of Ind.

IV. Revolutionary War
- A. Major Battles
- B. Washington/Franklin/Jefferson
- C. French join the War
- D. Yorktown/Treaty of Paris

ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS

1. How do the three colonial regions compare and contrast to each other; geographic features, politically, socially, and economically?

2. What were the major causes for the American Revolution?

TEKS

1.B describe the accomplishments of significant colonial leaders such as Anne Hutchinson, William Penn, John Smith, and Roger Williams.
8.A identify and describe the types of settlement and patterns of land use in the United States
8.B describe clusters of settlement in the United States and explain their distribution
12.A describe the development of the free enterprise system in colonial America and the United States
13.B evaluate the effects of supply and demand on business, industry, and agriculture, including the plantation system, in the United States.
14.F explain the impact of American ideas about progress and equality of opportunity on the economic development and growth of the United States.
15.B identify examples of representative government in the American colonies, including the Mayflower Compact and the House of Burgesses.
2.A identify the contributions of significant individuals during the revolutionary period, including Thomas Jefferson and George Washington;

2.B analyze the causes and effects of events prior to and during the American Revolution such as the Boston Tea Party; and

2.C summarize the results of the American Revolution, including the establishment of the United States and the origins of U.S. military institutions

ESSENTIAL TERMS

Economy
Middle Passage
Indentured Servant
Stamp Act
King George III
Taxation without Representation
French/Indian War
Samuel Adams
Loyalists/Patriots
The Quartering Act
Boston Massacre
Boston Tea Party
Democratic
Triangular Trade Route
Culture